Chestertown Transcript.
THURSDAY, APRIL 8, 1880.

Dr. Eccleston lectures at Tolchester to-night.

Kennard & Co., have put a fresh coat of paint on their store front, changing its appearance much for the better.

The Attention of the Ladies is directed to the advertisement of Mrs. Gill, to be found elsewhere in this issue.

You will Likely never again have the opportunity of purchasing trees as low as N. BARNARD offers. His advertisement to-day will post you.

Mr. Sappington informs us that the shooting affray of which we gave an account last week, did not occur in front of his store, but a short distance further up the street.

Sheriff Gooding is now giving accommodation to some eighteen boarders, who have taken up residence with him until the coming session of Court. Most of them are of the colored persuasion.

Telephone Line.—The *Centreville Observer* says that a movement is on foot in that town to establish a telephone line connecting Centreville via. Price's Station and Church Hill, with Chestertown.

Rev. S. C. Roberts, rector of the Protestant Episcopal Church in this town, was visited on Monday evening, the 29th ult., by the membership of his charge, who bore with them an abundant supply of substantials as well as luxuries. Mr. Roberts has been the pastor of the church here for a number of years, and is very highly esteemed by the entire community.

Tax Collectors Appointed.—The Board of County Commissioners last Tuesday appointed the following collectors of state and county tax:

First District—Richard F. Moffitt;
Second—Daniel U. Dewees;
Third—Daniel E. Jewell;
Fourth—John N. Dodd;
Fifth—Thomas C. Maslin.

The appointment of Standard Keeper was given to John H. Greenwood, of this town.

Running and Trotting Races.—It will be seen by reference to our advertising columns, that on next Tuesday and Wednesday the 14th and 15th days of April, there will be running and trotting races on the Fair Grounds at Worton. A running race will be somewhat of a novel feature at Worton, as the races there at the annual fairs have been confined to trotting.

A Very Substantial Warehouse has just been completed by T. W. Eliason, Jr., for the better accommodation of his large and growing phosphate trade. The building presents a good solid appearance, being of the dimensions of 32 by 60 feet, 25 feet to the square, and the stories 13 and 10 feet respectively. The building is used not only for storing but also for the manipulating of phosphates. Mr. Eliason, we learn, contemplates the erection next year, of a large addition to the present building. The site is an excellent one, adjoining the railroad depot grounds.

Ministerial.—Rev. W. R. Graham and family took their departure for Montgomery, Ala., last Monday, designing to make the trip from Baltimore by rail.

Rev. S. A. Hoblitzell took his departure for Pocomoke city, his new appointment, Tuesday morning, journeying overland with his horse and carriage.

Rev. W. J. Neepier, the newly-appointed preacher of Chestertown station Methodist Protestant Church, filled his pulpit last Sunday, morning and night. He preached to large congregations, and his sermons were very satisfactory. His family are expected to-day.

The Evangelists and their Doings.—It was authoritatively announced last week that the evangelists, Rev. F. H. Purdy, Mrs. Kenney and Miss Ford, would close the campaign by a meeting in the Chesterville M. E. Church on Tuesday night last, but a pressure from other points for their services has changed their programme. They have received invitations both from Still Pond and Cecilton. At the latter place they will commence a series of meetings Thursday, (to-night) the 8th inst. When they close there they will also go to Still Pond if the church insists. At Crumpton, Chesterville, Galena and Sassafras the evangelists did a good work, and the demand for their services is increasing. It is not probable, however, that they will consent to fill any more engagements than these mentioned till next Fall.

Bodies Found.—The bodies of the two colored men, Jake Houston and George Palmer, who were drowned on the first of last March by the sinking of a canoe loaded with oysters, have been found. The bodies were not found till four weeks after the drowning, and after all search had been abandoned. The body of Palmer was washed ashore on Tuesday morning, on the land of Mr. John Burchinal. Coroner Bordley summoned a jury and held an inquest. The jury found that Palmer came to his death by accidental drowning, on or about the first of March. The following is a list of the jury: William F. Miller, T. Jeff. Joiner, James H. Baker, William DeFord, C. J. Reiche, William H. Brown, John C. Ruth, A. M. Brown, S. Sligerland, Washington Hudgins, John L. Hamilton, Charles Kronemeir, William O. Dugan, John W. Crossley.

We understand that the body of Palmer was very little swolen or disfigured, and that decomposition had not set in. The body of Houston was washed to the Queen Anne's shore, either on Sunday or Monday. It is a little singular that both bodies should have remained undiscovered so long, and should then have gone ashore at about the same time.

Jurors.—His Honor Judge Wickes, on Wednesday the 31st ult., drew the following jurors, for April term, Circuit Court:

Josiah Lusby,	William N. E. Wickes,
Nathaniel T. Hynson,	Nathaniel W. Comegys,
Thomas A. Jacobs,	Cornelius J. Scott,
Jeremiah Peacock,	James F. M. Woodall,
John F. Beeks,	Thomas S. Bordley,
George R. Stephens,	David Stewart,
George W. Davis,	Richard Ll. Nicols,
Henry R. Gray,	William A. Taylor,
Elijah E. Miller,	Barney J. McCauley,
Richard T. Turner, jr.	Edward B. Woodall,
William Stevens,	John B. Parrott,
James S. Harris,	Nicholas G. Westcott,
George R. Beck,	Edwin S. Morris,
John Gale,	William Morris,
John R. Gill,	Frisby H. Boulden,
B. F. H. Caulk,	James J. Spear,
John W. Hines,	Dennis J. Nowland,
Francis A. Wallis,	Theodore Diehl,
Anderson W. Melvin,	Robert G. Nicholson,
James H. Plummer,	J. Frank Wilson,
Enoch N. Roland,	L. M. Bean,
Garrett Foxwell,	Samuel A. Reed,
George W. Covington,	John C. Burchinal,
Samuel Hurlock,	James H. Thompson.

The grand jury will be made known by another drawing the first day of the session—April 19.

What the First of April Did for a Solid Citizen.—Last Saturday, one of our solid citizens, (his solidity amounts to 300 lbs. or more) dropped in, picked up an exchange that was a day or two old, seated himself and began to store his mind with picturesque accounts of murders, suicides, elopements, divorces, &c., &c. Soon the S. C. (solid citizen) struck an article that rivitted his attention. It was headed, LOST. *A heart-rending accident. Frightful fate of a flaxen haired child. Carried into cloud-land. Terrible consequences of purchasing a toy balloon. A mother's frantic grief.* The story was picturesquely told, and the feelings of our S. C. soon became worked up. He twitched in his chair; his bosom heaved with emotion; tears of sympathy suffused his eyes. At length when he had reached the heart-rending part of the story where the little flaxen-haired innocent was swung off into space by seventy-five toy balloons tied to her tiny wrist, he could contain himself no longer. Springing to his feet, he shook his fist at the junior editor, and told him that if he (the S. C.) "had been the mother of that innocent babe, he would have murdered the d—d scoundrel on the spot." The junior, not having read the interesting story, did not understand that the S. C. refered to the seller of the balloons; he thought the S. C. had some sort of reference to him, (the jun. ed.) and was much scared accordingly. In spite of the fright into which he was thrown by the energetic expression of feeling on the part of the S. C. he could not but picture mentally, what an interesting spectacle the S. C. would present as the mother of an innocent babe. After shaking his fist at the junior for some ten minutes or more, and otherwise relieving his motherly feelings by pouring forth a streak of language which we fear was somewhat mixed with profanity, the S. C. became calm enough to resume his seat, and again take up the thread of the story. Matters proceeded quietly until he had finished the story, when he again bounced to the floor in a second state of excitement, and again proceeded to shake his fist, varying the performance by shaking it at the stove pipe. This time, however he was not mad with the balloon seller. No! *The newspaper man had put up a first of April job on him.* There was no babe carried off by balloons after all. His motherly sympathies had been excited for nothing, and our three hundred pound citizen quit our sanctum fully resolved, that should fate ever bring within his reach the contemptible newspaper man who did such violence to his maternal instincts, by writing that balloon story, he would bestow upon him some English, that should be so vigorious as to penetrate his tough hide, and harrow up his sin hardened soul.

Reported for the Transcript.

The Easter Egg Inn.—The children and teachers of the Protestant Episcopal Sunday School of our town, opened with much eclat, last Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, their New Inn, the "Easter Egg." The two evenings were very bright and enjoyable. The room—the lecture-room belonging to the church—was tastefully decorated and presented a cosy, home-like appearance. There were attractive lunch and refreshment tables, and a great many good things were served in nice style at both.

The Inn proper was tended by thirteen charming English bar-maids in quaint and picturesque costumes of pink and white, and a rustic well belonging to the Inn was also tended by one of the English maids, from which she dispensed lemonade to the thirsty. The well bore the inscription—

"Come fill up a glass
And drink to your lass"—

and from the crowd around the pretty young "maid of the Inn" the advice of the rhyme seemed to be well taken and followed.

Two outside shows attracted much attention—an Indian wigwam, covered with wolf-skins and with a real live Indian girl inside, who sold rapidly, in brightest and most perfect of Indian dresses, quantities of wares peculiar to her people. The other, a gypsy tent, from which the gypsy—owing to indisposition was absent—but a fair young Greek girl, in lovely Greek dress of pale blue and cream-color, gave evidence of her sybline powers of divining the future in the number of good fortunes she told during the evening. The Italian Flower Girl, in Roman dress of gorgeous colors, and her companion, the Swiss Flower Girl, in green and white, at their stand one on each side of a large vase of bouquets, presented a pretty contrast and a sweet picture of girlish grace and beauty. The little German chocolate-women were among the pleasantest sights of the Inn, and their original and half-comic head-dresses, handkerchiefs and aprons elicited many smiles of approval.

We are glad to learn that the fair financially was very successful, as it certainly was in every other respect.

Orphans' Court, TUESDAY, April 6, 1880.—Present, Judges Nicholson, Shallcross and Willson.

On application, James A. Pearce was appointed guardian to Barrand Hanson and St. George C. Hanson, minor children of the late George A. Hanson.

William E. Jarrell, one of the appraisers of the rental value of the real estate of Sarah V. Pennington, (minor) returned the appraisement of same, which was received and ordered to be recorded.

William McK. Taylor returned an inventory and appraisement of the real estate of Sabina C. Massey, deceased, which was received and ordered to be recorded.

Citations were issued for several delinquent administrators.

The Leaders of Fashionable Dress and Low Prices.—C. N. OHEM & SON, proprietors of the largest one-price double Clothing House, Baltimore, now occupy two entire three-story buildings with their splendid stock of Men's, Youth's, Boy's and Children's Clothing. Having bought and manufactured their entire stock before the great advance of woolens, they are selling great bargains in every department for spring and summer wear, which none can afford to overlook. We feel it our duty to call the attention of our readers to this truly famous and reliable establishment, corner of Pratt and Hanover Sts. No one in need of clothing, ready-made or made to order, should fail to call on OHEM & SON and see the low prices at which the most choice and perfect fitting garments are selling.

Who would suffer with frosted feet when they can be cured by Roberts' Celebrated Embrocation? For this alone it is worth ten times the cost of a bottle, which is but 35 cts. It has a reputation of 40 years' standing. Sold everywhere.

Horsemen should always keep a bottle of Roberts' Embrocation in the stable, as it is a certain cure for Swellings, Bruises, Stiffness of the Limbs or Joints, Cuts, Scratches, old or fresh wounds. It acts like a charm, and makes a horse more valuable by its timely application. Do not be humbugged by so-called liniments. Try the one that has stood the test of 40 years. Price 35 cts. per bottle. For sale everywhere.

Why do you cough when you can find speedy relief in Sine's Syrup of Tar, Wild Cherry and Hoarhound? It is the most efficacious remedy known for Coughs, Colds, Croup, Asthma, and all diseases tending to Consumption, and has been sold over 40 years. It is especially adapted to children, as it does not nauseate, and can be used in sufficient quantities to effect a cure. Price, 25 and 50 cents per bottle. Ask your druggist for it.

Do not be deceived into buying so-called Cough Syrups that have been foisted on the market by extravagant advertising. Try the old reliable Sine's Syrup of Tar, Wild Cherry and Hoarhound. For Coughs, Colds, Bronchial Affections, or any Lung Disease, it is invaluable, and has been in the market over 40 years. Price 25 and 50 cents a bottle. For sale everywhere.

GOOD NEWS TO HORSEMEN AND OWNERS OF STOCK.—The price of M. B. Roberts' justly celebrated Horse Powders has been reduced to 25c. per package, which makes it the cheapest in the market, as it requires but a tablespoonful for a dose; a fact which has been overlooked by many when they purchase large packages of inferior powders, whose bulk is composed of material solely to increase their size. Roberts' Horse Powders have no adulteration, and contain only pure medicines. They are the only powders combining the three principles necessary to the health of horses—namely, Laxative, Tonic and Purifying. For horses that are foundered, overheated, hide-bound, or have lost their appetite, they are indispensable. They have been sold over 40 years. For sale at the druggists.

B. F. FLEMING,

DEALER IN
GRAIN, LIME, COAL, WOOD, PEACH CRATES AND BASKETS.
Schuylkill Lime a Specialty.

Mr. B. F. Fleming: I used Mogee's Schuylkill Lime on corn last spring. It slacked more to the bushel, acted quicker, and gave me the best satisfaction of any Lime I have ever used.
GEORGE H. SNITCHER.

Mr. B. F. Fleming: We have used Mogee's Lime for three successive seasons. It slacks more, contains less core, acts quicker, and we believe it is the best Lime in the market.
JOS. S. FOWLER, Round Top.

REFERENCES:
James A. Pearce, Esq., Chestertown; Robert Nicholson, Hanesville; Robert G. Nicholson, Hanesville; Hyland P. Smith, Smithville; Stephen Lecates, William Vannort, Jesse Morris, Chestertown; William T Nicholson, Worton; James L. Beck, Walter Beck.

This Lime will be delivered by cars or vessel to all Stations and Landings on the Peninsula.
TERMS VERY MODERATE.
Don't fail to come and see me before purchasing.
Orders by mail promptly executed.
B. F. FLEMING,
Office under Vosbell House,
April 1, 1880—y Chestertown.

Silver Plated Ware.
WE intend keeping a stock of these goods, and will sell them below the list prices.
STATIONERY, STATIONERY.
Very cheap, at SPARKS'

SHERIFF'S LICENSE NOTICE.

Notice to Merchants, Traders and Others.

ALL PERSONS and Bodies Corporate or Politic in Kent county, who are or shall be exercising or pursuing any business, or shall be doing any act or thing, or shall be in the occupation of any house or place for any purpose for which a License is made necessary by the Laws of Maryland, are hereby warned to obtain a license or renew the same on or before

The First day of May, 1880,

under the penalties prescribed by said laws for the infraction thereof.

Those interested are notified of the following requirements of the License Laws:

TRADERS' LICENSE.

The amount to be paid by Traders for a License—the amount of stock at the principal season of sale to be given under oath—is as follows:

If the applicant's stock in trade does not exceed $1,000 - - - - - - - - - $12 60
Over 1,000 and not over $1,500.....18 60
" 1,500 " 2,500.....18 60
" 2,500 " 4,000.....22 60
" 4,000 " 6,000.....30 60
" 6,000 " 8,000.....40 60
" 8,000 " 10,000.....50 60
" 10,000 " 15,000.....65 60
" 15,000 " 20,000.....80 60
" 20,000 " 30,000..... 100 60
" 30,000 " 40,000..... 125 60
" 40,000 " 150 60

The applicant must either make oath, as heretofore, before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county where he is engaged in business, of the amount of goods kept on hand at their principal season of sale, or the oath may be administered by a Justice of the Peace when the person wanting license applies through an agent. If the latter course be adopted, the following form will be deemed a sufficient compliance with the act:

Kent county, to wit:

On this —— day of ————, 1880, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for said county, personally appeared ———— ————, and declared that he intends to apply for a trader's license under the second section of the act of January session, 1858, to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, and make oath that the amount of stock of goods generally kept on hand by him (or by the concern in which he is engaged, in case it be a partnership,) at the principal season of sale, (or if the applicant has not previously engaged in such trade,) that the amount of goods which he intends to keep, &c., does not or will not exceed $ ———.

Sworn before ————.

If the oath be administered before a Justice of the Peace out of the county in which the application is made, there must be attached the certificate of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county in which the Justice resides.

Persons may sell salt to cure fish in March, April and May without license.

Vendors of Cakes and vendors of Beer, who are makers of such Beer, (Lager Beer excepted,) are not required to take out License.

OYSTER AND EATING HOUSES.

The License to be paid by the keepers of Oyster and Eating Houses is $50.60 throughout the State.

VENDERS OF MILLINERY.

Females vending Millinery and other small articles, whose stock is not over $500, to pay a license of $6.60; but if over that amount they are required to pay the same license as other persons—oath to be made as to the amount of stock at the principal season of the year.

BILLIARD TABLES.

A license may be granted to any person who may apply for permission to keep a billiard table, for which license there shall be paid the sum of $50.50, and for every additional table $25.50.

HAWKERS AND PEDDLERS.

Hawkers and Peddlers must renew their Licenses on or before the first day of May, as other traders. The rates are as follows in the country:

To travel on foot	$41 00
With one horse and wagon	51 00
With two horses and wagon	71 00
FOR THE WHOLE SHORE:	
To travel on foot	$61 00
With one horse and wagon	101 00
With two horses and wagon	151 00

No such license shall be granted to any hawker or peddler in the name or style of any partnership, or company, and but one person shall trade under any such license. A violation of the law subjects the offender to a fine of not less than one hundred dollars, recoverable before any Justice of the Peace.

BROKERS.

Any person who shall make it his business to deal in any manner on his own account, or for others, in the purchase and sale of stocks, bills, notes, bank-notes, or other obligation, shall be deemed and taken to be a broker. The rates are as follows.

Exchange Broker	$100 60
Stock Broker	75 60
Bill Broker	50 60

The following Act—chapter 448, page 863—entitled "An Act to add to the 10th section of article 56 of the Code of Public General Laws, a sub-section, requiring a license to enable any person to act as Real Estate Broker," provides—

That "any person applying for the same and paying the sum of fifty dollars, may obtain a license for carrying on the business of a Real Estate Broker, and any individual copartnership or firm who shall carry on the business of a Real Estate broker without a license, shall be subject to the penalties imposed upon other Brokers by section seventeen of this Article."

LICENSE TO OWNERS OR KEEPERS OF JACKS OR STALLIONS.

The owner or keeper of every Stallion or Jack shall, before being permitted to stand or station such animal, pay to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of some one of the counties in this State the highest sum which he intends to ask or receive for the season of one mare; and the receipt of said Clerk, with the seal of his court attached thereto for said sum, shall be the license for stationing such Stallion or Jack for one year from the date thereof; provided that in no case shall the sum directed to be paid for said license be less than ten dollars; and that every Stallion or Jack upon which the said tax is paid shall be exempt from all other State tax. Any owner or keeper stationing any Stallion or Jack without a license shall pay twice the sum authorized and required to be paid as stipulated above, one-half to the State and the other to the informer.

EUGENE GOODING,
April 8. Sheriff of Kent county.

AT TOLCHESTER BEACH!

ON THE EVENING OF
THURSDAY, APRIL the 8th
For the benefit of St. Paul's P. E. Church.
LECTURE
BY
Rev. JOHN C. ECCLESTON, D. D.
SUBJECT,
Westminster Abbey.

DR. ECCLESTON is a son of the late Judge Eccleston of this county. He has been an extensive traveler, and in all of his travels has been a studious observer. He ranks high as a lecturer, and has gained his reputation before some of the best audiences of New York and Brooklyn. The lectures are profusely illustrated by pictures thrown on a screen, and are full of curious and interesting anecdotes. Some of the illustrations are as large as 10 feet by 15 feet.

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"TO THE REV. J. C. ECCLESTON, D. D.

Rev. and Dear Sir: Your entertainment and eminently instructive lecture on "Westminster Abbey," and its monumental and legendary lore, conferred such great pleasure upon all who were so fortunate as to hear it upon its first delivery and to witness the interesting stereoscopic views with which it is accompanied, that we beg leave to request you to repeat the lecture in New York at such place as may suit your convenience. Very truly yours, William Adams, D. D., Theodore Irving, LL. D., Henry Potter, D. D., John Cotton Smith, D. D., W. H. Appleton, E. M. Archibald, British Consul-General, Major T. K. Gibbs, Arthur Gilman, Miss Haines, Mrs. Sylvanus Reed, Miss Ballow, Mrs. Williams, &c."

Numerous other testimonials of equally high character might be given.

Lecture will begin promptly at 7½ o'clock.
Admission for adults 50 cts. Children 25 cts.
March 25, 1880—3t.

KENT CO. COMMISSIONERS' ANNUAL NOTICE.

THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF KENT COUNTY will meet at their office in Chestertown, on

Tuesday, the 16th day March, 1880,

at 11 o'clock, A. M., and will continue to meet at the same place and hour on

EVERY TUESAY,
Until the First day of June next,

for the purpose of
Noting Transfers and Correcting Assessments.

All persons who have sold or transferred any ASSESSABLE PROPERTY

since their last sitting for said purpose are particularly requested to attend at an early day to have their assessments corrected and adjusted.

After Tuesday, the 15th of June next

no alterations or *corrections* in assessments will be made for the present year.

All persons having Accounts against the County are requested to present the same on or before

Tuesday, the 15th day of June next,

otherwise they will be excluded from the levy for this year. *All accounts* properly chargable to the county are requested to be made out in a clear manner and itemized and rendered under oath.

All Applications for Pensions

must be made in writing, stating the condition and circumstances of applicant and vouched for by three or more freeholders having a knowledge of the facts therein set forth.

N. B.—*All persons neglecting* to have their *assessments corrected* are hereby notified that *no allowance for taxes paid in error* in consequence of such neglect *will be made.*

THOS. P. DIXON,
C. P. LOPER,
TILGHMAN SHAFER,
WM. V. LUCAS,
T. ROMIE STRONG.
March 11, 1880. (N.)

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Chestertown, Md.

ALLOW ME to tender my sincere thanks for the past patronage of the public, and hope to receive their approval and patronage this present year. I am prepared to cut and finish every design in the marble business.

I have a very handsome assortment of my own finished

TOMBSTONES.
Some of the Latest Designs,
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A large assortment for children, different patterns, some as low as $6.00, lettering included. Some fifty different patterns for grown persons, handsomely finished, some of them as low as $15.00, lettering included. Also, a fine line of different patterns, expressly for the

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very thick and heavy and handsomely finished of the best marble.

Marble Posts, marble Vases with Pedestal, Marble Coping, Tombstones and Monuments, of all sizes and styles.

Marble or Sandstone worked to order. I warrant all my work not to color or blister—time has no effect on it. I set up all of my work, thus relieving the purchaser of all trouble or risk.

Come one, come all, that are in want, and examine my work and learn my prices. I will be thankful. Don't send the money out of your own neighborhood.

Call and see me. I do not like to canvass for work, for I think it too sad a business to barter with relatives or friends.

My work can be seen in all the cemeteries of Kent and the adjoining counties.
March 11, 1880—8m. W. REGISTER.

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THE LIBRARY OF UNIVERSAL KNOWLEDGE is a reprint entire of the last (1879) Edinburgh edition of "Chambers's Encyclopædia," with about 40 per cent of new matter added, upon topics of special interest to American readers, thus making it equal in character to any similar work, better than any other suited to the wants of the great majority of those who consult works of reference, and altogether the latest Encyclopædia in the field.

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VI. To make $1 and a friend is better than to make $5 and an enemy.

Standard Books.

Library of Universal Knowledge, 20 vols., $10.
Milman's Gibbon's Rome, 5 vols., $2.50.
Macaulay's History of England, 3 vols., $1.50.
Chambers's Cyclopædia of English Literature, 4 vols., $2.
Knight's History of England, 4 vols., $5.
Plutarch's Lives of Illustrious Men, 3 vols., 1.50.
Geikie's Life and Works of Christ 50 cents.
Young's Bible Concordance, 311,000 references (preparing), $2.50.
Acme Library of Biography, 50 cents.
Book of Fables, Æsop, etc., illus., 50 cents.
Milton's Complete Poetical Works, 50 cents.
Shakespeare's Complete Works, 75 cents.
Works of Dante, translated by Cary, 50 cents.
Works of Virgil, translated by Dryden, 40 cts.
The Koran of Mohammed, translated by Sale, 35 cents.
Adventures of Don Quixote, illus., 50 cts.
Arabian Nights, illus., 50 cts.
Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress, illus., 50 cts.
Robinson Crusoe, illus., 50 cts.
Munchasen and Gulliver's Travels, ills., 50 cts.
Stories and Ballads, by E. T. Alden, illus., $1.
Acme Library of Modern Classics, 50 cents.
American Patriotism, 50 cents.
Taine's History of English Literature, 75 cents.
Cecil's Book of Natural History, $1.
Pictorial Handy Lexicon, 35 cents.
Sayings, by author of Sparrowgrass Papers, 50 cents.
Mrs. Hemans' Poetical Works, 75 cents.
Kitto's Cyclopædia of Bib. Literature, 2 vols. $2.
Rollin's Ancient History, $2.25.
Smith's Dictionary of the Bible, illus., $1.
Works of Flavius Josephus, $2.
Comic History of the U. S., Hopkins, illus., 50 cents.
Health by Exercise, Dr. Geo. H. Taylor, 50 cts.
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CANNING WAX, Bottle Cement, and Rubbers for Jars, are sold very cheap—at
July 31, 1879. STAM'S CORNER.

Sparks'

OPPOSITE THE COURT HOUSE,

One of the Largest and most attractive stocks of NEW YEAR'S GOODS ever seen in Chestertown.

SILVER PLATED WARE.—Casters, Butter Dishes, Pickle Stands, Cake Baskets, Card Baskets, Napkin Rings, Mugs, Goblets, Syrup Cups, Tea and Table Spoons—all *Triple Plate.*

BOHEMIAN GLASSWARE.—Toilet Sets, Vases, Mantle Ornaments, of various kinds.

BEAUTIFUL CLOCKS! HANDSOME LAMPS!

FINE GLASSWARE.—Goblets, Tumblers, Mugs, Glass Bowls, Covered Dishes, Celery Glasses, Butter Dishes, &c.

Toys, Toys, Toys.
FANCY PAPER IN BOXES.

A full stock of choice Confectionery, Nuts, Fruits, Chow-chow, Pickles, Canned Goods, Mustards, Sauces, &c.

CIGARS AND TOBACCO.—Having a large stock of Cigars, we will sell them by the box at greatly reduced prices.

Be sure and call before buying your goods. We intend to sell everything very low.

Remember the place!

SPARKS',
Dec. 4, 1879. Opp. Court House.

Apple, Peach and Pear Trees.

The Ground Must and Shall be Cleared to Make Room for Young Stock.

30,000 Peach Trees from $22 to $40 per 1,000!
25,000 Apple Trees $7 per 100 to $65 per 1,000!
6,000 Standard Pear Trees (mainly Bartlett) $18 per 100; 2,000 Dwarf Pear trees $18 per 100.

A lot of Ornamental Trees and other Nursery Stock equally low.

All from fresh blocks of my last planting; just come of saleable size, never having been culled or dug over before, and are of the best and most popular varieties. This is the last chance you will have to buy reliable trees, of the best kinds, at less than half the usual prices. I am about to enlarge my Nursery, and need and must have the use of the ground, is my reason for quoting such very low prices.

Write for Catalogue. Come and see the trees. I know I can sell to you.

Two Horses, 1 Alderney or Durham Bull, and one light double-seated Carriage, (second-hand will answer) taken in exchange.

N. BARNARD,
STILL POND P. O. or Station,
March 4, 1880. Kent county, Md.

WANTED:
20,000 lbs. Wool

EXPRESSLY FOR MALLALIEU BROS., MILLINGTON.

Deliver at any Steamboat Landing on Chester river, or at the Warehouse in Chestertown.

JOS. W. THOMPSON.
March 4, 1880—3m.

New Goods.

CHEAP GOODS!

Call and examine our large assortment of
COOK
And HEATING STOVES.
We are selling at BOTTOM PRICES.

A LARGE assortment of POCKET CUTLERY, TABLE CUTLERY, Knife, Fork and Spoon for little folks. Christmas Tree Holders; Scissors, Skates, Sleigh Bells, &c.
J. K. ALDRIDGE.

TRIPLE-PLATED CASTORS, Butter Dishes, Pickel Dishes, Ice Pitcher, Tea and Table Spoons, Mugs, &c., &c., purchased at Receiver's Sale, and for sale very cheap at J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.

A large assortment of
TINWARE on hand
at prices to suit the times.

TOILET SETS, MONEY BANKS, CAKE PANS, GEM PANS, COAL HODS, SHOVELS, POKERS, &c., at J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.

Call and purchase a good Revolver Cartridges, Breech Loading Shells, Shot, Caps, Wads, &c., at J. K. ALDRIDGE'S.
Dec. 21, 1878.

T. W. ELIASON, JR.

BOOTS AND SHOES,

A large assortment, embracing in part

LADIES' Cloth Top Buttoned BOOTS,
" Kid " " "
" Pebbled Goat " "
" Lasting Top " "
" Lasting Top Lace "
" Lace Morocco "
" Lace Goat "
" Lace B. Calf "
MISSES' Pebbled Goat Buttoned "
" Lasting Top "
" Lasting Top Lace "
" Pebbled Goat Lace "
" Pebbled Grain Lace "
" B. Calf Lace "
CHILDREN'S Kid Top Buttoned "
" Lasting Top "
" Grain " "
" B. Calf " "
INFANTS' Kid, Pebbled Goat, Goat, Morocco, Buttoned and Lace SHOES.

Men's HEAVY WINTER BOOTS,
Of all Grades and Prices.

BOYS' HEAVY BOOTS,
Of Different Grades and Prices.

Youths' Heavy Boots,
Of Different Grades and Prices.

Call and examine our stock before buying. Prices lower.
Oct. 23. T. W. ELIASON, JR.

Great Discovery!

TO FARMRRS, HORSEMEN, **And Others.**

WE have succeeded in making a combination which will EFFECTUALLY CURE

***SCRATCHES* IN HORSES,**
In From Two to Three Days.

This preparation has not been put upon the market hastily, but has been thoroughly tested by our leading horsemen.

By permission we refer to
Messrs. JOHN W. LOUD,
SAM'L. B. ARMSTRONG,
C. C. B. RASIN,
JAMES A. RUSSELL,
GEO. W. LOCKWOOD,
Warwick, Cecil Co.

A fair trial is solicited. Price per bottle 50 cents.

COLIN F. STAM,
Feb. 26, 1880—tf. DRUGGIST.

LIBB'S COMPRESSED COOKED CORNE BEEF, 20c. per lb.—at BELL'S.

A Big Bonanza!

New Year Presents.

Rich, Rare, Beautiful and Cheap!

THE MOST ATTRACTIVE DISPLAY IN TOWN MAY BE SEEN AT

Stams' Drug Store.

Silver Plated Ware

of exquisite carving, and guaranteed quality.

BOHEMIA WARE,
TOILET SETS,
VASES,
CARD RECEIVERS,
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BOOKS!

For the OLD and YOUNG.

Books of Poetry, Fiction, Ramance and Song.

Chidren's Books.

Chatterbox, Little Folks, Wide-Awake and hosts of others. Albums, Writing Desks, Gold Pens and Pencils.

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Prayer Books.
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Sacred Songs,
and Gospel Hymns.
Choicest Perfumes
And COLOGNES
OF BOTH CONTINENTS.
Stationery

in Fancy Boxes of the Most Beautiful designs.

Combs,
Brushes,
Mirror & Tooth Brushes,
and Clothes Brushes.

An Examination of our Stock will convince you that we have not over estimated our goods.

C. F. STAM,
Dec. 18, 1879. Druggist.

GALENA Tin Stove and HARDWARE STORE.

THE undersigned hereby announces to the citizens of Kent and adjoining counties that he constantly keeps on hand, at his old-established stand in Galena,

A LARGE AND COMPLETE STOCK OF
STOVES,
Tinware and
BUILDING HARDWARE,
TABLE CUTLERY, &c.,

which he is selling as low as the same class of goods can be purchased for in any of the cities, and those in want of any thing whatever in the above line, will find it greatly to their interest to call and inspect his stock and learn his prices.

He is manufacturing all kinds of TIN and SHEET-IRON WARE, and is prepared to do

ROOFING AND SPOUTING,

at short notice, and on very reasonable terms.

LAMPS, CURTAINS AND FIXTURES, OIL CLOTHS, &c., a good stock, at low prices.

The New No. 8
WHEELER & WILSON Sewing Machine

Is sold by the undersigned, as agent. The No. 8 is not the old style Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine improved or changed, but is *an entirely New Invention.*

NEEDLES for all kinds of Machines kept on hand.

Stove Repairs of all kinds.
R. E. KNIGHTON,
June 19, 1879—y. GALENA

NEW YEAR ANNOUNCEMENT.
Large Stock of
BLANK BOOKS,
of all descriptions;
LEDGERS, JOURNALS,
DAY-BOOKS,
TIME-BOOKS,
POCKET MEMORANDUMS,
DIARIES FOR 1879, and
PASS BOOKS, all very cheap.

This stock has been selected with great care and with a view of supplying the wants of all.
COLIN F. STAM,
Dec. 31, 1878. Druggis

GENUINE Imported dLucca Cream Sald Oil, the finest bran manufactured—for sale by C. F. STAM.

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HENRY W. ARCHER,
VERSUS
E. SHEPPARD MORRIS AND WIFE.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR KENT COUNTY. IN CHANCERY. JANUARY TERM, 1880.

ORDERED, this Fifteenth day of March, in the year 1880, that the sale made and reported by HENRY W. ARCHER, JR., Trustee, for the sale of the real estate mentioned in the proceedings in this cause, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the twentieth day of May next,—provided a copy of this Order be inserted in some newspaper published in Kent county, once in each of three successive weeks before the twentieth day of April next.

The Report states the amount of sales to be $6,900.

SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
True copy—Test:
SAMUEL BECK, Clerk.
March 18, 1880—4t.

ROAD NOTICE.

WE the subscribers hereby give notice, that thirty days from the date hereof, we intend to petition to the Hon. County Commissioners of Kent county, to appoint Examiners to view and determine whether the public convenience requires that that part of the PUBLIC ROAD *leading through Still Pond Neck to Fishing Valley Landing,* between the J. W. Howard's road and the road gate of the farm of J. P. Davidson, occupied by William B. Harbourd, should be straightened and widened.

WILLIAM G. RASIN,
WILLIAM P. SMITH,
J. W. HOWARD,
And seventeen others.
March 11, 1880—tm. [N]

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